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Office of the President
April 25, 2006

Members, Board of Trustees:

BELL ALCOHOL AND ADDICTIONS CHAIR GIFTS AND PLEDGE

Recommendation: that the Board of Trustees accept gifts of \$75,100 and a pledge of \$10,000 from multiple donors to be added to the existing Bell Alcohol and Addictions Chair in the College of Medicine and submit these gifts and pledges of \$85,100 for matching funds from Kentucky's Endowment Match Program. Council on Postsecondary Education guidelines require that the Board of Trustees acknowledge its responsibility for UK's participation in the program and for all university endowment funds.

Background: The Board of Trustees approved creation of the Bell Chair at its March 2006 meeting with gifts and pledges of \$639,073. The Bell Chair will enhance research and create new methodologies for teaching medical students and residents how to recognize and treat patients who have alcohol and other addictions-related medical conditions.

Action taken: Approved Disapproved Other _____